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REPORT DUE FEBRUARY 15, 2013

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Exceptions: If you did not serve in any elected public office during the 2012 calendar year, a supplemental report is not required if: (1) your deficit is less than \$2,500 or (2) your election was prior to the calendar year of 2008, and you have not received any additional contributions or made any loan repayments.

If you had activity which requires you to file a Supplemental report for this election, you must file your report electronically. Information regarding electronic filing using the Louisiana Ethics Administration Disclosure & Electronic Reporting System (LEADERS) is available on our website at www.cthics.state.la.us.

If this is your first time electronically filing, you must submit an Electronic Filing Affidavit form and obtain a password and ID from this office. Affidavits can be printed from our website and must be received no later than February 8, 2013.

Late fees of \$100 per day for major office candidates, \$60 per day for district office candidates will be assessed for every day supplemental reports are late.

If you have accepted a contribution for a future election, an annual repot should be filed in addition to the supplemental report. Annual reports are also due by February 15, 2013.

If the amount of your deficit is \$99,999.99, this is an indication that there is a discrepancy with prior reports filed with our office. Contact Cheryl Vermaelen or Angela Newsom with the Campaign Finance Section at (225)219-5600 or (800)642-8830 regarding any questions or necessary corrections.